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The date on the slip on which your name is printed, tells when your subscription runs out. Keep an eye on it.

MORE LYNCHINGS.

A party of men just driven away from Louisiana, after having been subjected to atrocities that wild Indians would be ashamed to perpetrate, passed through this city yesterday, on their way home, to Fond du Lac, Wis. We did not see the persons to whom we refer, but are told that their story will, when related to the public, make every American blush. A Douglas Democrat who saw their scars, and heard their relation of the way in which their wounds were received, advised them to present themselves at the office of the Chicago *Times*, as a commentary on the denial in that paper that Northern men are driven away from the South. Their crime was their residence in the North—in Wisconsin, where a Personal Liberty law is on statute book, unrepealed.

TIMELY SUGGESTIONS.

We find the following in yesterday's telegrams:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13, 1860.

The National Convention of Union prayer meetings was in session in this city and passed a resolution unanimously recommending all Union prayer meetings, all Christian churches, and all persons to join in prayer on the first Monday in January as a day of humiliation and prayer, in view of the present dearth of spiritual things in the churches, and the perils and dangers which threaten the peace and prosperity of the country.

We go for that resolution, without reservation. Oaths is a secular journal, and we may not appear to be learned in the cause of, and proper remedy for, the "present dearth of spiritual things in the churches;" but to the political part of the prayerful proposition, "the present dangers which threaten the peace, happiness and prosperity of our country," we can address ourselves without fear of invading the ranks of another profession. We, then, distinctly recommend, that prayers be put up,

1st. For all pro-sl very Doctors of Divinity and ecclesiastics of whatever rank and title, who degrade Christianity and make men infidels by open or covert defence of the manifold abominations of American Slavery—men who see incipient damnation in dancing to the sound of "that profane instrument called the fiddle," but "no moral wrong" in selling young women for compulsory prostitution, in condemning men to lives of forced and unrequited labor, and in making merchandise of little children. They are great offenders; they have stifled the national conscience; they have filled the churches with the morality of the shaving-shop and market place, that they might grow fat and enjoy their salaries and their dignities in peace. Much praying will be required to bring them back, to break up the crust of formalism and cant which has congealed over their consciences, to make them see that they have aided and abetted bad men in the accomplishment of schemes with which the Master, upon whom they call, has had nothing to do, and to endow them plenteously with the grace which will enable them to comprehend the Brotherhood of Man and the Fatherhood of God.

2d. For the politicians of the North, who, while professing to love Liberty, have been the steadfast friends of Slavery, and who by unparelleled lying to their constituents, and unparalleled servility to their masters in the South, have consented to and invited the aggressions upon free principles, which at last have culminated in the demand that Slavery shall be the undisputed law of the land—the vital force and controlling element of the government. They commenced their work of treason and self-debasement when Slavery by common consent was regarded as an accidental evil, a blot upon our civilization, to be wiped out by the gradual enlightenment of all our countrymen; and they have continued it with such success that the "institution" now disputes with the majority for the control of the Republic, and threatens the disruption of the Union if its demands are denied. They have a load of guilt which may not be easily removed—an aggregation of offences over which angels do weep; but pray fervently for them, and,

3d. For all Republicans who are weak in the knees or tender in the spinal column. Upon their firmness, steadiness, and moderation now, the salvation of the country and the perpetuity of Democratic institution depend. Pray that they may be strengthened; that they may not be beguiled by professed union-savers who walk for them on street corners and by the roadside to shake them with fear and to perplex them with doubt; that they may see that this is a crisis in the country's affairs, and that to them the glory of re-establishing or the shame of destroying the Constitution will be awarded.

5th. For all newspapers like the Chicago *Times*, that they may learn that election is over and that the day has come for them to cease their electioneering rant and apply themselves to undoing the mischief which they have wrought by their unpardonable misrepresentations of the belief and practices of the Republican party. It will be a gift of special grace which reforms them; but do not give them up.

6th. For HONEST OLD ABE, that the wisdom, patriotism, moderation and fidelity which commended him to his countrymen as the man to breast the storm of fanaticism, may be his shield and his guard in the trials which are before him, to the end that the blessings of liberty may be preserved.

If there must be concert of action for political praying, we beg that these points may be remembered. The country has had enough mockery of Heaven in prayers that have asked for happiness without justice, for prosperity without the performance of duty, for the blessin s of the Savior upon the work of the Destroyer. We propose to change the programme.

Give no Money to Dr. Powers.

PERU, Dec. 13th, 1860.

Editors Chicago Tribune:

In your paper of yesterday you state that a person calling himself Dr. Powers, pretends to hail from LaSalle county, and to be authorized to make collections for Kansas.

The individual is well-known in this neighborhood, and he not only has not any authority to make collections for La Salle county, but in the very last person that those who know him would entrust with any such power.

WM. CHUMASERO,
THERON D. BREWSTER.

MESSRS. Chumsero and Brewster are well-known and responsible citizens of Peru, and mean what they say. "Dr. Powers" has come to a dead halt in his Kansas collections.

It is the First Step that Costs.

A gentleman of an inquiring turn of mind, who has heard that South Carolina is about to set up for herself, and take of appropriating four hundred thousand dollars to defray Independent expenses, asks us how far that sum will go towards supporting an army of ten thousand men one year. We will not answer the predise question that is asked us, because the people of South Carolina do not feel the need of so large a force as that to resist any force that can be brought against them from the Union States, the prowess of a South Carolinian being something the capacity of which was never fully tested, but which they would not think of estimating so low as to require ten thousand of them to establish the independence of the State against any foreign levies. The army of the United States only numbers about eighteen thousand. Assuming one Carolinian to be as good as six soldiers from any other State—and we might give offence to fate the difference at a smaller figure—South Carolina would only require an army of three thousand men, say three regiments, to put her in a position to cope with the federal government on equal terms, saying nothing of the treble advantage which, according to the poet, attaches to that party which has its quarrel just, and which, no doubt, our Palmetto heroes rely upon with unshaken confidence.

Taking, then, three regiments as the basis of an estimate, we submit the following figures to our correspondent and to the delegates of the State of South Carolina, soon to be in Convention assembled, as worthy of their entire confidence, and worthy of some study before they go much farther in their journey toward Independence. We will suppose the force to be raised, divided into a cavalry and artillery and an infantry regiment. Their cost per month will not be estimated by any military man at less than their present cost to the United States, which may be estimated as follows:

CAVALRY.	
1 Colonel, per month	$191.00
1 Lieutenant Colonel	170.00
2 Majors	308.00
10 Captains	1,160.00
10 First Lieutenants	1,030.00
10 Second "	950.00
890 Privates	19,616.00
	$23,873.50
ARTILLERY.	
1 Colonel, per month	$174.00
1 Lieutenant Colonel	153.00
2 Majors	274.00
12 Captains	1,090.00
10 First Lieutenants	1,120.00
10 Second "	950.00
993 Privates	19,616.00
	$25,379.00
INFANTRY.	
1 Colonel, per month	$174.00
1 Lieutenant-Colonel	153.00
2 Majors	274.00
10 Captains	885.00
10 First Lieutenants	730.00
10 Second "	650.00
902 Privates	19,833.00
	$22,194.00
Monthly cost	$70,996.50
503 Horses for Cavalry, at $100 each	50,300.00
360 Saddles, Bridles, etc., at $15 each	12,885.00
Artillery Horses for four companies	8,000.00
71 Field Pieces, at $1,000 each	71,000.00
	$143,685.00

The Quartermaster's Department, supposing it to be one-sixth of what the United States paid last year—and it would be more rather than less—would cost, per month, 118,300.

The Surgeon's Department is what it ought would be a pretty serious item, but supposing that it would cost no more in proportion than it costs the Federal Government, it would rate as follows:

One Surgeon-General, per month	$90
Six Surgeons	6
Six Assistant Surgeons "	6
	$1,711
Supplies of Surgeon's Department	4,000
	$5,711
Then there must be besides:	
One Major-General, per month	$70
Two Aids-de-Camps	1
Two Brigadiers-General "	1
Two Aids, "	1
	$1,140
Surgeon's Staff, as above	1,711
	$2,851
RECAPITULATION.	
Three regiments	$70,996
Quartermaster's Department	118,300
Adjutant and two Assistants	2,851
Monthly expense	$190,782
To this must be added the outlay immediately necessary for horses, saddles and artillery, of course	143,685
And supplies of Surgeon's Department	4,000
Making	$337,467

which South Carolina must raise in order to put on foot three regiments for thirty days, without providing a barrack to sleep in, a fortification to fight in, or a ground their sea coast, a pound of powder or shot to fire a salute with on Independence Day; without a penny for the civil government or for diplomatic service, or for the two months' extra pay list—and he must be a pretty expensive piece of property if he realizes the expectations and deserts of this new subject. Omitting so much of this outlay as is not a part of the annual expenditure of three regiments, without ammunition, barracks, forts, or anything but simple existence, would amount to $2,351,184.

Having ascertained what it will cost to put three regiments under arms, how let us look a little at the financial resources of South Carolina for meeting such an expense.

The funded debt of the State amounts to $4,045,000, on the interest of which, at six per cent, would be $242,700. The State is also liable for a subscription to the Blue Ridge Railroad, and has agreed to endorse its seven per cent. bonds for $1,000,000, and has guaranteed the bonds of the South Carolina Railroad Company for $2,000,000, making a contingent liability of the State of $3,000,000 more. Most of her debt is owned in Europe. A few cents of this and the next month that debt will begin to travel homewards. European creditors will have no faith whatever in her securities, the moment they apprehend serious danger of her separation from the Union. The arrival of these bonds will make the statesmen of the Yancey and Rhett and Barnwell school see what their vanity and conceit makes them now blind to, the utter impossibility of negotiating a loan of even $600,000 outside of the State of South Carolina at any rate. Her bonds will not bring $35 on a hundred in this city, if it were believed that she would not remain in the Union. And there is no doubt that they would stand higher in th s than any other market in the world, for their value, if they possessed any; would be more accurately appreciated here than elsewhere. Even now, when the great body of our people share our own confidence that the present demonstrations at the South will soon end by making all concerned in them ridiculous, the bonds of the State have not a sale, and if more were put upon the market, the State would not realize the expense of engraving and uttering them.

Under these circumstances the State would have to raise her three regiments at an expense of $337,307 per month from her own citizens, who are already taxed for a debt which amounts to about fifty-seven dollars per head for every white citizen! Whether they will care to add much to that burden, in the face of a deficient corn crop, decreasing exports of cotton, a general interruption of all kinds of business, the prospect of unpleasant relations with the Federal Government of indefinite duration, and the consciousness that it would be but the first step in their new expenses, which would double, trip and quadruple if persisted in, the necessary step for independence, are questions which need only to be stated to be answered.—*N. Y. Post.*

From Washington.

[Special Dispatches to the Cincinnati Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.

GOOD EFFECT OF THE CONGRESSIONAL DEBATES.

The debates of the last three days in Congress cannot fail to have a decided effect in disheartening the Disunionists, and in restoring confidence to the country. Certainly no one seems greatly alarmed. That alarm is subsiding; the visionary fabric of secession is rapidly dissolving itself into the air. Its imaginary basis is gone; one by one the alleged grievances of the extreme South have been demolished and abandoned, until the only pretext left is a want of confidence between the two sections. Something more substantial than this must be pleaded in favor of divorce, even granting that the indictment can be sustained.

DISCOMFITURE OF THE DISUNIONISTS.

These discussions have been of material service in several ways. They have drawn tardy and reluctant, and hence all the more effective concessions from the Northern Democrats and from Southern men of the border States, that the repeated charges of a want of fidelity, on the part of the Republicans to the Constitutional obligations of the North in regard to the rendition of fugitive slaves, are utterly groundless. These accusations are virtually confessed by Douglas himself, by Mr. Pugh, by Breckinridge Democrats like Fitch of Indiana and Thompson of New Jersey, to be mere partisan calumnies, invented for merely electioneering purposes. They have declared in their places in the Senate that the entire North, Republicans and Democrats included, have been true to their Constitutional guarantees. In this respect the Senators from the border Southern States, the only States practically interested in that question, substantially concede the same thing. Such was the testimony at least of Senators Green of Missouri, and Powell of Kentucky, two violent Democrats. The extreme Southern men seem to abandon this pretext, and also that the personal liberty bills being any ground for Disunion. What remains? Senator Wigfall on Tuesday alleged the want of adequate protection to Southern rights in the Territories, but this is also promptly demolished by Judge Douglas, who appeals to the record to show not only that his reason for secession does not exist, but that such protection has not even been set on foot by Congress. In fact the identical bills making those complaints, Wigfall inclusive, actually voted upon the close of the session that no occasion for such legislation existed.

No stronger evidence can be adduced than this of the want of sincerity with which the Disunionists have acted. Their own words, their own votes, their own admissions, have demolished the whole fabric of their complaints. Their grievances bubbles are all punctured. They find themselves in a ridiculous attitude before the country. They are exposed to the world as petty triflers with the highest interests of the nation; as the worst enemies of their own section.

WISE INAUGURATION OF THE REPUBLICANS.

The Republicans have probably acted wisely in allowing this state of things to happen without essentially contributing towards bringing it about. They have nothing to apologize for or explain. In a dignified way, they will go straight forward in the course they have commenced, and give practical effect to Mr. Lincoln's election by trying to reform the Government and to banish useless agitation. The present of the negro, which Jackson wisely predicted would be used by Southern disorganizers next after the tariff, to bring about disunion and a Southern Confederacy, is in a fair way to be disposed of as it should be, at least for a time.

THE SECESSION MOVEMENT.

From personal appearances, several Southern States will make a feint of seceding, but a reaction will speedily bring them back to their allegiance.

WHY SENATOR WADE'S SPEECH HAS BEEN POSTPONED.

Judge Wade has delayed speaking, as undoubtedly he otherwise would have done at an early day, to allow the mode of pacification to go on. He occupies a commanding position in the Senate, no one in that body having more universally the respect and confidence of all sides. He will give his views of the crisis most probably in a day or two.

CONSERVATISM OF THE NORTHERN DEMOCRATIC MEMBERS.

Northern Democrats, with one or two exceptions, have taken a very fair and manly course in regard to the existing difficulties. Douglas and Pitch, hostile as they are to each other, substantially agree in sustaining the Union and in denouncing the pretexts for disunion as utterly groundless. There promises to be but one party at the North on this question, unless Governor Wigfall can and his chivalrous Sickles should find some followers, of which there is no reasonable prospect.

MR. LINCOLN'S CABINET—SENATOR SEWARD'S VIEWS.

Mr. Seward, I am credibly informed, has stated that he will neither seek nor decline a Cabinet position under Lincoln. He expresses the opinion that the Cotton States will certainly secede, but for two years will be desirous of returning to the Union. He does not speak in favor of coercion. It is not probable that he will make any speeches during the present session, though frequently urged to do so.

SENATOR WADE'S EXPECTED SPEECH.

The galleries were crowded and overflowing, a speech being anticipated from Judge Wade. He took the floor after Mr. Wigfall concluded, and will deliver one of his characteristic speeches on Monday.

POLICY OF THE REPUBLICAN SENATORS.

Other Republican Senators will follow. Their position will be not unnecessarily irritating, nor in the least menacing. They must, however, affirm the plain truth, that secession is treason and no war, since it can only be carried out by making a direct attack upon the property and the troops of Government.

NO PEACEABLE SECESSION IMPOSSIBLE.

No Republican here entertains any idea that peaceable secession is possible. The same is substantially true of the Southern Opposition members and border State Democrats in general.

PROSPECTS OF THE SECESSION MOVEMENT.

The opinion gains ground that the Disunion treason will never proceed so far as the overt act. Probably five or six States will pass Secession ordinances, but no particular hostile need be taken, so long as the contemplated rebellion is on paper only.

Monarchical Tendencies in South Carolina.

The struggle in the South Carolina Legislature, between the Democratic and the Aristocratical parties, is understood to be a fierce one. The former it would appear, oppose any innovation on the State Constitution, and is called Democratic only in a relative sense. The Oligarchical party are full of new measures, all of which point to the concentration of power in the hands of a few individuals. The Charleston *Mercury* is the leading organ of this party, and the sentiments which it has given utterance to, during the past few months, are of a character to excite the astonishment of the whole country. Its latest utterances are especially startling. It says:

"Under the present Constitution of South Carolina, the Governor is a mere cipher. He has no power to do anything. He cannot even appoint a constable. He is a mere figure-head. The Senate is a mere debating club. It has no power to do anything. The House of Representatives is the only power in the State. It is the only power that can do anything. It is the only power that can do nothing. It is the only power that can do wrong. It is the only power that can do right. It is the only power that can do good. It is the only power that can do evil. It is the only power that can do mischief. It is the only power that can do harm. It is the only power that can do anything, nothing, wrong, right, good, evil, mischief, harm, or anything else. It is the only power that can do anything, nothing, wrong, right, good, evil, mischief, harm, or anything else, and it is the only power that can do

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UNION MEETINGS.

It may be set down as certain that when in this emergency, a body of men get together in a professed Union-meeting and gravely recommend the North to submit to the incorporation of the Breckinridge platform into that Constitution of the United States, as a remedy for present troubles, that none who have ever called themselves Republicans, and that few or no Douglas Democrats are represented therein. That dirt-eating, we are happy to say, has thus far been confined to the supporters of John Bell and of John C. Breckinridge, aided, possibly, by a few cowardly merchants who are for anything or anybody that will insure a larger share of Southern trade. The Philadelphia meeting is no exception to the rule.

A WORD TO C. F. P.

There seems no longer room for doubt that the Old Public Functionary has refused flatly to respond to the call of the officer in charge of Fort Moultrie for men and ammunition to guard the property of the United States against probable attacks by the Charleston mob. It is even reported that Gen. Cass contemplates resigning, in consequence of the traitorous policy of the Administration in this regard. We have a word for old Mr. Buchanan's private ear. If Fort Moultrie falls into the hands of the ruffians who are now plotting disunion, and if the disaster is traced to his door, he will be held responsible for the crime of Treason—one of the definitions of which, in the Constitution, is "adhering to the enemies of the United States, and giving them aid and comfort." It will be a new excitement, decidedly, putting an ex-President on trial for treason; but the prisoner may rest assured that his last end, in case of conviction, will be more universally applauded than any other event in his career.

Meanwhile, let not Mr. Buchanan's confederates in South Carolina fancy that the capture of the forts is a step in the right direction—a move calculated to lead the way to the political millennium. It will be only the beginning of sorrows. If it costs them but thousands of dollars to take Fort Moultrie, it will cost them millions to hold it.

FLAX-COTTON AGAIN.

About a year ago we called attention to the subject of the efforts being made to improve the modes of manufacturing flax so as to bring it within such limits of economy as would enable it to compete with cotton. We then spoke of the matter chiefly in its bearing upon the agricultural and manufacturing interests of our own State. The present condition of the country gives it a national importance. We are glad to learn through a communication to the Boston *Journal*, that the efforts to perfect this manufacture are still continued, and that progress is made. With a copy of the above communication we received four specimens of the flax-fibre, in as many stages of progress, with statements of cost. No. 1 is marked "Flax as broken up in the fields of the West—baled and sent to Boston. Machinery movable, if desired, from field to field. No maceration is required." No. 2 is "*Flax-wool*, which mixes with wool in any proportion, and costs five cents when made in Boston." No. 3 is "flax-cotton, which can be made within eight cents."—Of this the staple seems to be short, and the manufacturer does not claim that it will spin well alone. The specimens of prime cloth called, is said to be half flax-cotton and half Southern cotton.

On the whole, we cannot say that, on this showing the thing is yet a complete success. But a good show of progress is made, and we are disposed to think that the perseverance and ingenuity which has accomplished so much will yet achieve greater triumphs.

We should have been pleased to receive more *details* information than the writer in the *Journal* seems disposed to give. Were the specimens made from flax which had ripened its seed? Where can the machinery for use in the field be had? What price can Western farmers rely upon getting for the fibre broken and baled? No experiment, or invention, now in process of development, seems to us of more interest than this. The soil of the West is particularly fitted for the growth of flax, and we can readily furnish the raw material to an amount equal to the cotton crop of the South, if we can have a market at remunerative prices. And we hope yet to see in this direction new developments of energy, resources and rewards of free labor.

"NEW LINE OF SECTIONALISM."

Under the above caption the New Orleans *Picayune* calls attention to the fact that the interests of the slaveholding States are not homogeneous—that already in the progress of the movement for a Southern Confederacy, the germs of future controversy, growing out of conflicting interests, are plainly to be seen—and that, should secession ensue, "a new line of sectionalism" which shall divide the slave States themselves, would be as strongly marked upon the map of the Southern Republic, as that which now separates the slave States from the free. The view taken by the *Picayune* is undoubtedly correct. There is nothing more certain, whatever else may or may not be the result of a division upon the line of Mason and Dixon, than that it will transfer the "irrepressible conflict" south of that line. It cannot be otherwise. The border States grow slave labor for market—the gulf States furnish the market. Here is a conflict of interest that has no middle ground of adjustment. In the gulf States the belief is now universal that slavery is morally right—a great civilizing and Christianizing institution. Both interest and duty therefore combine in demanding the reopening of the African slave trade. The interests of the border States are adverse to this mode of spreading the gospel among the heathen, and their sense of duty in the matter harmonizes well with their interests. One policy or the other must prevail, and the struggle over it will be fierce and unending. So well is this understood, that the Gulf or Cotton States propose to obviate the difficulty by framing the fundamental law of the new Confederacy without the intervention of the border slave States. This is one reason why separate action is so strongly urged by the cotton States, and why a convention of the slaveholding States is so persistently opposed. But the effect, after all, would only be to change the point over which the conflict would be waged—in the one case, as to the incorporation of the provision into the fundamental law; in the other, as to its repeal.

Then again, in the event of secession, the border slave States would become manufacturing States. Senator Hunter, of Virginia, pictures in glowing colors the destiny of the border slave States, and particularly that of his own State, by reason of this fact. Virginia, he says, would soon become the New England of the new Confederacy. Of course the new New England would demand a tariff for the protection of her new industrial interest. But South Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi and Alabama would resist a protective tariff just as resolutely when demanded by the border slave States as they now do when demanded by the free States. Their interests are the same in this regard whether they remain in the present Union or withdraw from it. Secession would only transfer the tariff conflict, not settle it.

But if the border slave States become manufacturing States, they will be but a short time before they will appreciate the fact that slavery is a great detriment to their progress. The leaders in the secession movement have the sagacity to foresee this result, and they propose providing against it by prohibiting the introduction of slaves from the border States into the cotton-growing States. But this will only create a new cause for strife in the new Confederacy—only add a new element of bitterness to the irrepressible conflict.

Again, the sugar interest of Louisiana is now protected by a duty upon the foreign article. The planters of that State receive, in effect, a bonus of $300 on every $1,000 worth of sugar which they send to market. If Louisiana goes into the New Confederacy, she will not consent to give up this advantage; and she will resist it the more because the free States would at once admit foreign sugar, duty free, if not actually discriminate against the Louisiana article. In either event she would lose her best customer. Any attempt to abolish or reduce the tariff on sugar by the New Confederacy, would cause Louisiana to unite with the border slave States in favor of a grand protective system. Likewise, the interests of Louisiana would demand the freedom of the Mississippi to the commerce of the Northern Confederacy. New Orleans would fall rapidly into decay if this source of her commercial prosperity were cut off; and that city controls the policy of the State. Here are elements of discord—the seeds of an irrepressible conflict—that would soon bring forth their appropriate fruit.

Sooner or later these facts must impress themselves upon the Southern mind. If deliberation is permitted, secession will not occur, unless South Carolina prove an exception. If the South goes off precipitately, experience will lead to repentance and restoration. At all events the people of the free States have but one policy to pursue; that is to stand where they have always stood, upon the Constitution and the laws—conceding whatsoever those do, and nothing more, and demanding all that they are justly entitled to under them. Beside the ineffable meanness and poltroonery of making concessions in the face of a threat, no permanent peace could be secured by granting them. Slavery, to maintain its foothold in this country and plant-ed than any other event in his career. under our civilization, must be constantly aggressive. The moment it submits to what the Constitution and enlightened laws alone grant it, that moment dates its decline and final overthrow.

THE RUST RESOLUTION.

Our readers will perceive the impossibility of forming a correct opinion on the Rust resolution, which has been adopted by the Committee of Thirty-three, when we tell them that the tele raph gave it to us in the following incomprehensible phrases:

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Committee the existing discontents among the Southern people and the growing hostility among them to the Federal Government, are greatly to be regretted, and that another cause of discontent and hostility, without just cause, are not any reasonable and proper constitutional remedies and guarantees for the entire their peculiar interests as recognized by the Constitution, necessary to preserve the peace and the perpetuity of the Union, should be promptly and cheerfully granted.

By dint of comparing it with Mr. Morrill's amendment and examining the various votes taken on the various propositions before the Committee, we felt authorized to lick it into some sort of form and comeliness, thus:

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Committee, the existing discontent among the Southern people, and the growing hostility among them to the Federal Government, are greatly to be regretted; and that such discontent and hostility are not without cause, and any reasonable and proper constitutional remedies and effectual guarantees for their peculiar interests, as recognized by the Constitution, necessary to preserve the peace and the perpetuity of the Union, should be promptly and cheerfully granted.

Under the circumstances, we are not prepared to criticise the action of the committee, nor to condemn what might seem to be a needless concession of the only vital issue in the controversy, to-wit: that the existing discontent among the Southern people, and the growing hostility among them to the federal government, are not without good cause—the cause being the election of Lincoln and Hamlin. Such a declaration would be an unpardonable folly, if not a political crime. But it is not proper thus to construe the action of the Committee from the unintelligible dispatch which came to us, and we counsel all hands to suspend judgment, until we have something authentic upon which to base an opinion.

COMING TO IT.

One of the speakers at the recent Philadelphia Union meeting is reported to have said;

He spoke plainly. If any sentiments have been proclaimed by any portion of the country against the other, they must be relinquished. We must restore public sentiment to the old stand point, and the misplaced appeals from our pulpits, lecture-rooms, and presses, and against a section of our common country, must be frowned upon. [Tremendous applause.] It has been these violent appeals that have mainly brought about this sad state of affairs. We must preserve the Union at all hazards. We will do well to repel insult from intermeddling of our neighbors. So long as our social institutions do not conflict with the principles of the Federal compact, none may justly interfere with or righteously denounce them.

Coming to that is it, eh? You Democratic Union-Savers try it on if you dare—your plan for curbing free speech here in the North! We shall see what will come of your endeavor to stop men's mouths for saying that the selling and buying of human beings is a wrong! Try it, try it, and see if that is not a game that two can play at!

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Lord Macauley's writings have for years been about as widely known, as greatly admired, on this as the other side of the Atlantic. He has now passed away, and like Irving and Cooper, England has not, and may not have for many generations, a man to fill his place in the literature of his country. The publishers have laid their countrymen under many obligations by issuing an accurate and so elegant an edition of the writings of the great English essayist, and though most gentlemen of cultivation have many of the essays of Macaulay in other forms, they will be willing to add this beautiful edition to their libraries.

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HINTS ON THE FORMATION OF RELIGIOUS OPINIONS. By Ray Palmer, D. D., of Albany, New York. New York: Sheldon & Co. Chicago: S. C. Griggs & Co.

Dr. Palmer is widely known as one of the ablest divines in the country. The book before us is composed of a series of discourses on religious topics, and is just the thing to put in the hands of young men and women to assist them in forming religious opinions. Carefully reading it might save many a young man from the paths of the destroyer. We recommend it to parents as well worthy to be placed in the hands of their children.

WILL HE FIND HER: A ROMANCE OF NEW YORK AND NEW ORLEANS. By Wynen Spencer. New York: Derby & Jackson, 119 Chicago: S. C. Griggs & Co.

This book has no reference to Judge Douglas and his recent inflammatory search for his daughter, as might be supposed from its title. The tale pretends to be one of fact and of the antebellum South. In this respect it is not better nor worse than the ordinary novel of the day. It is what they term down South "a good likely negro," active and smart, and would have brought in the Southern market from $1,200 to $1,500.

These facts we gather from the Rock Island *Register*.

NEW KIND OF EXPRESS FREIGHT.—The Norfolk (Va.) *Day Book* states that an individual named Boulware passed through Raleigh, N. C., on Wednesday last, in charge of the Express Company, close shaved, and bearing on his back the marks of a hundred and fifty stripes, well laid on, and consigned to Horace Greeley, New York. The consignees are citizens of Wansborough, S. C., and his punishment arose from his having uttered incendiary language—probably saying that he voted for Lincoln and Hamlin.

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A Strange Story.

[From the Detroit Daily Advertiser.]

It was rumored in this city yesterday that Caleb C. Woodbury, who we all supposed was dead, was seen in Chicago not long since.

It will be remembered that he was Postmaster at White Pigeon, in this State, was arrested for robbing the mail, examined by U. S. Commissioner Wilkins, and held to bail in $4,000, or in default to be imprisoned in the jail of St. Joseph county. Also, that he was taken home by U. S. Deputy Marshal Moore, on the 18th of August last, to procure bail, if possible, and that, while in his own house he retired to his chamber to change his clothes and take a short nap, and that first making his appearance in one time, the chamber door was burst open and he was found lying dead in his bed. The fact that he had bought strychnine, and the presence of some of it in the room, led naturally, to the belief that he committed suicide by its use. There the matter ended, and Deputy Marshal Moore came home.

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Such is the statement of a man from that section, and we understand the U. S. authorities have will investigate the matter immediately.

THE SECESSION MOVEMENT.

Various Matters Relating Thereto.

OUTRAGEOUS TREATMENT OF A PITTSBURGHER IN NEW ORLEANS.

[From the Pittsburgh Gazette, Dec. 11.]

We have been shown a letter from Mr. Harris, the agent of R. A. Fahnestock & Co., who was rudely expelled from New Orleans by a mob, for the sole offence of being a Northern man.

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"Look at him, and see if he is the man you want." The cry of both shouted, "Yes, that's him, the d——d abolitionist," "out with him," "we'll fix him," "lynch him," etc.

But his appearance, as he proved to be, the chairman of the Vigilance Committee, proceeded: "Mr. Harris is accused of being an abolitionist—of being the agent of an abolition house—of having said he was glad of Lincoln's election—that he voted for him, and was proud of it. We are requested to bring a hundred miles south and west of here, and are found crossing out and running nearly in a strait course up and down the mountains, while their descent are to all appearances nearly perpendicular.

I will now give you some evidence of the real value of these mines. A friend of mine has just arrived in this city direct from the mountains, and brought with him a small handful of silver, varying in size from a bird shot to nuggets of eight to ten pennyweights. This is no humbug. He obtained it by piling up a large quantity of wood, putting on his rock and making as intense a fire as possible, adding occasionally more fuel, until he felt satisfied that if there was any mineral of any kind it must melt out. After letting the whole cool off, the ashes were raked over, and a little lot of something very much like silver was found, and having doubts in his own mind, brought it here, when I took a small piece, about the size of a buck-shot, to the mint bank of Clark, Gruber & Co., whose statement I will, in their own hand writing and over their own signature, inclose in this, which you are at liberty to publish: Clark, Gruber & Co. have proposed to take stock in these mines if after a full and thorough test they prove O. K.

Now if there is any men who are in every sense of the word reliable, and have the enterprise to take hold and form a Joint Stock Company, not less than five nor more than ten, and send a reliable man who has eyes and brains, and whose statements can be depended upon, we are ready to furnish the claims, with the understanding that no expense for mining shall be incurred, only to prospect under such direction as this. We do not wonder to hear that there were ten commercial failures there in one day, and that the business of the city is dull.

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A GEORGIA ROWDY-DOW.

THE GOVERNOR OF GEORGIA AND THE LOUISIANA.—Gov. Brown, of Georgia, is at loggerheads with the Legislature. The Governor, it appears, in the message vetoing the bank suspension bill, intimated that some of the members had been bribed. A few days ago the Governor sent in an explanatory message, in which he substantially alleges that if they had been innocent of bribery, they never would have misconstrued him. They, in turn, have resented it by a unanimous vote of condemnation, as follows:

Resolved, That his Excellency Gov. Brown has not only abused the privileges of this House, but has failed to maintain in his official intercourse with this body that degree of deportment which becomes the chief magistrate of Georgia.

PARSON BROWNLOW ON THE SECESSION-ISTS.

Parson Brownlow, of the Knoxville *Whig*, is evidently not "in love" with the secessionists, as the following little clipping from his paper amply demonst ates:

This modern idea of government, so delicate and complex in its structure, and which cost its great architects so much labor and thought, so many ages of experiment, and such promise, and our fathers so much of blood and treasure, is to be broken to pieces, to gratify a set of corrupt, ambitious and disappointed demagogues, who find that they can never preside over these *United States*, and hence they seek to build up one or more contemptible *Southern Confederacies*, and to place themselves at the head of these. The fiddling and dancing of Nero, while Rome was enveloped in flames, was not more brutal, hellish, stupid and wicked, than is the conduct of these country-destroying, God-defying and hell-deserving TRAITORS to their country, to write and talk thus flippantly of the most momentous event that the human mind can conceive!

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SCENE AT BROWN'S HOTEL, WASHINGTON.

[Washington correspondence of the Wheeling Intelligencer.]

I may mention to you a scene that occurred at Brown's—the headquarters of the ultra cockade gentlemen. Some of these fiddlers and harpers that frequent places of public resort in all cities, came in and struck up the "Marseillaise," and played it well. Soon they had a crowd of about twenty "rosettes" around them, all about half drunk, and full of fire-make speeches, and call for three cheers for the Confederacy. Some of these fiddlers were in favor of treating him under the circumstances. I was therefore told, 'The cars leave in 40 or 45 minutes; can you get ready?' I said yes, and at once packed my trunk.

A carriage was ordered at an alley, in the rear of the hotel, and I smuggled through the bar, and was followed by the crowd. When once in the carriage, the horse galloped at top speed to the depot, arriving just in time to get aboard the cars. As the cars moved off, I felt some relief, as may be supposed."

Here it will be seen that the committee and even Nathan, his accuser, were perfectly satisfied that Harris was not amenable to the charges made against him; but the mob had come determined to lynch him, and would not be satisfied otherwise.

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O. M. HATCH, Secretary of State.

Could the Sad Disasters by the Recent Fierce Storm have been Averted?

The New York *Commercial Advertiser*, in an article on the recent severe gale and disasters, remarks:

It will be remembered by some of our readers that on Friday it began to rain here, and during the night the storm increased in severity, the wind blowing from the southeast until after sunrise the next day. In the morning it changed to the north-west, and so continued for a time; but during the day and evening it chopped round to the south-west, blowing exceedingly cold; while nearly every speck of cloud disappeared from the heavens. Early in the morning th ee different currents were observed at once moving in the atmosphere, within a distance of probably not more than two miles from the point of observation. In the space of twelve hours the thermometer fell over 60 degrees.

Now, all accounts from the lake regions represent that the storm blew from the east. At Buffalo, it broke out about one o'clock, A. M. on Saturday; at Oswego somewhat later. In both places, as well as others still further North, snow fell abundantly. In the neighborhood of Watertown, it is now from twelve to eighteen inches in depth.

The conclusion appears to be that the centre of the storm, i. e. the part where most rain or snow fell, and toward which the wind blew from every point, was between New York and Buffalo, probably in the region of the mountains; that it moved toward the Northeast, and its course became more severe and destructive; and that this motion drew after it the regular Northwest blast, so that it was felt in this region as if proceeding from the South-west. But it was the old, original, dry, cold, unrelenting Northwester, nevertheless; only altering its course somewhat to fill up the vacuum made by the nucleus of the storm, in its passage along a line nearly parallel with that of the sea coast.

For nearly two weeks previously we had been favored with mild weather, during which time the atmosphere was filled with moisture from the ocean, inviting, at its season of the year, a mild thaw. Before the delay would probably make it only the more destructive. All that required, then, on Friday morning, was the receipt of telegraph dispatches at the great lakes and elsewhere, stating the character and direction of the wind currents, at points from one to two thousand miles apart. We believe it will be found that the storm raged on Lakes Superior, Michigan, and Huron, many hours before it was felt at Buffalo. It will probably be found, too, that the telegraph could have been employed to give warning as far West as Detroit, if not Milwaukee and Chicago, and that much that was wanted was some person sufficiently familiar with the philosophy of the winds to calculate when and where the storm would make its appearance.

This journal has repeatedly called attention to the subject of atmospheric currents, for the purpose of showing that the storm is in a much the subject of fixed laws as the growth of the oak or the phases of the moon. Let these be correctly understood, and the telegraph be regularly employed to report them from the most distant points, and hundreds of lives, as well as millions worth of property, may yet be saved every year, by the simple establishment cally of a system of signals along our sea coast and on the Western lakes. It is time that Congress and Boards of Underwriters gave this subject the attention which it deserves.

East Indian Cotton.

[From the N. Y. Economist.]

The cotton-supply movement in England has at last taken a decidedly practical turn. After a great deal of random guessifying and inflated writing, with not a little Quixotic action also, the men of Manchester have determined on showing their faith in their theories by their works. At length a bona-fide corporation is launched, styled the "Cotton Company, (Limited), with a capital of £100,000, and thirteen directors, the pick of the cotton lords of Manchester. The object of the Company is to develope the cotton trade of India, combining its operations chiefly to the districts of Dharwar. The prospectus of the Company thus describes its intended operations: "The first efforts of the Company will be directed to the cotton-growing district of Dharwar, in the Bombay Presidency. The urgent representations of the Cotton-Supply Association have induced the Indian government to commence the construction of a pier and harbor at Sedasheyghur, and also a road seventy miles in length, leading from that port into the heart of the cotton district. In Dharwar, 150,000 acres of American cotton are now grown, the value of which cotton, in the Liverpool market is 6d to 6id per lb. At present this cotton is used only for mixing with the native variety, to give a value in the Bombay market. It is intended that the company should establish itself in Dharwar for the purpose of buying this cotton direct from the grower, cleaning, packing, and shipping it from Sedasheyghur direct to this country. By offering a fair price to the ryot for this cotton, it is the opinion of Dr. Forbes that the area under cultivation may be rapidly and extensively augmented."

The prospectus sets forth at great length the reasons that have led to the formation of the company. It is asserted that the efforts of the Cotton-Supply Association have demonstrated the important fact that India, Africa, Australia, South America and other quarters of the world can and will furnish cotton in unlimited quantity and of excellent staple." The position of the United States in relation to the supply is thus alluded to: "Our dependence upon America for four-fifths of our supplies, gives to that country a virtual monopoly, which involves—

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